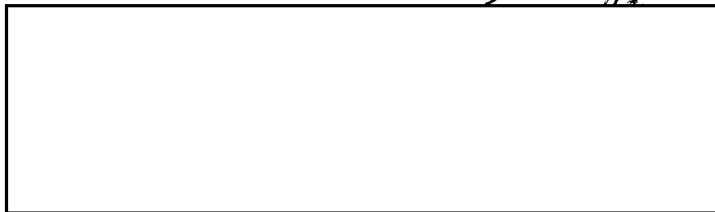


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Dear Steve:

Thank you for your letter of 30 June. I appreciate very much your kind remarks about me. It is a pleasure to advise that the reports of my retirement are -- like those about Mark Twain's death -- grossly exaggerated. I have no intentions of stepping down at any time in the foreseeable future.

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It was good to hear from you -- even if I'm not retiring!

Sincerely,

SIGNED

C. P. Cabell  
General, USAF  
Deputy Director

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